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(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Tomoyuki SHINODA et al.

Application No.: 10/573,656

Confirmation No.: 5671

Filed: November 20, 2006

Art Unit: 3711

For: TITANIUM OR TITANIUM ALLOY,  
ADHESIVE RESIN COMPOSITION,  
PREPREG AND COMPOSITE MATERIAL

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**REQUEST FOR REFUND  
(IMPROPER CHARGE OF DEPOSIT ACCOUNT)**

MS 16  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**I. REFUND REQUEST**

This is a request for a refund with respect to the charge to Deposit Account 02-2448 shown on the statement for the month of July 2007 for the above-identified

application

patent

A copy of the monthly statement in which the error referred to occurs, accompanies this request.

## II. FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED

	<u>AMOUNT OF REFUND REQUESTED</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> excess claims	<u>2410.00</u>
TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED	<u>2410.00</u>

## III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

This application was filed on March 28, 2006 with a Preliminary Amendment. The changes to the claims in the Preliminary Amendment should reflect the charges not the claims in the original specification. Thus, the preliminary amendment reflects 20 total claims, 3 independent claims and no multiple dependency claims. Thus, the PTO should refund us the charges of \$2410.00 for claims over 20, more than 3 independent claims and multiple dependency claims.

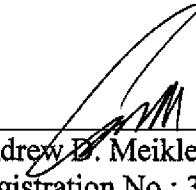
## IV. MANNER OF REFUND

Please make refund by crediting Account No. 02-2448.

We respectfully request that the attached copy of this letter be returned to us with an indication that the credit has been processed.

Dated: December 7, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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**Statement**

**Month:** Jul-07  
**Account**  
**Number:** 22448

**Name:** BIRCH STEWART  
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